

of Section 29 of Article 23 of the Annotated Code of Maryland, as re-enacted thereby, strike out the balance of said Section 29 and insert in lieu thereof the following: 'At the time of receiving such agreement of consolidation for record, the State Tax Commission shall collect recording fees of twenty dollars; six dollars of the fees so collected shall be paid by it to the Secretary of State; four dollars thereof shall be paid by it for recording the same to the Clerk of the Circuit or Superior Court to whom such agreement of consolidation shall be transmitted for recording as aforesaid; and for the balance it shall account quarterly to the Comptroller and pay the same forthwith to the State Treasurer for the use of the State. In addition to any other recording fees required by law, the State Tax Commission shall, at the time of receiving the agreement of consolidation for record, collect a recording fee of two dollars for each certificate of consolidation required; and one-half of each such fee shall be paid by it for recording the same to the Clerk of each Circuit or Superior Court to whom a certificate of consolidation is transmitted, for recording as aforesaid; and for the other one-half it shall account quarterly to the Comptroller and pay the same forthwith to the State Treasurer for the use of the State.'

No. 8—"In Section 8, page 23 of the printed Bill, commencing with the words 'a duly' in line 25 of Section 30 of Article 23 of the Annotated Code of Maryland, as re-enacted thereby, strike out the balance of said section of Article 23 and insert in lieu thereof the following: 'A duly certified copy of said agreement of consolidation from the records of the Secretary of State, the State Tax Commission or the Circuit or Superior Court, shall be evidence of said consolidation and of any amendment or amendments made by said agreement of consolidation. The recording by the State Tax Commission of said agreement of consolidation shall be conclusive evidence of the payment of the recording fees and the bonus tax, if any, required by law to be paid to it, and of the existence of said consolidated corporation, except in a direct proceeding by the State.'

No. 9—"In Section 10, page 26 of the printed Bill, after the word 'and' in line 7 of sub-division (1) of Section 35 of Article 23 of the Annotated Code, as re-enacted thereby, insert the following: 'if there be no shares of stock outstanding and entitled to vote, authorizing such issue, but otherwise.'

No. 10—"In Section 10, page 27 of the printed Bill, commencing with the words 'such statement' in line 28 of sub-